MR. PUTHUPALLI S. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon II*) : May I know the reason why surprise visits were conducted in these two Treasuries only?

MR. C. S. KRISHNASWAMI AIYAR (*Ag. Financial Secretary to Government*) ; Probably because there might have been some anonymous petition or other information.

Road from Kuzhittura to Tengapattanam.

211. ***MR. M. MAHOMED HANEEF** (*Nominated*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether any action has been taken by Government on the representations made in the Sri Mulam Popular Assembly and in this House regarding the improvement and metalling of the road from Kuzhittura to Tengapattanam ;

(*b*) whether they have opened a new toll-gate in the above road from the beginning of this year (1110) ; and

(*c*) whether the Chief Engineer has at any time visited this road?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*) : (*a*) to (*c*) Yes.

MR. M. MAHOMED HANEEF (*Nominated*) : With reference to the answer to part (*a*), may I know the nature of action taken by Government?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*) : The estimate for 2 miles has been sanctioned by the Government and the estimate for the remaining 5 miles is with the Chief Engineer.

MR. M. MAHOMED HANEEF (*Nominated*) With reference to the answer to part (*c*), may I know the date on which the Chief Engineer visited the road?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*) : I am told that the present Chief Engineer has not visited, but it was the previous Chief Engineer who has visited the place.

PRESIDENT : Next question, please.

MR. PACODE A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Vilavankod*) : Sir, ——

PRESIDENT : I have called the next question. So, no more supplementary question is allowed.

Muslim Official Receivers.

212. ***MR. M. MAHOMED HANEEF** (*Nominated*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether any Muslim has applied for an Official Receiver's place in any of the Courts in Travancore in the years 1108, 1109 and 1110 (up to 19-11-1110);

(*b*) if the answer to part (*a*) is in the affirmative, their names and the dates of their applications ; and

(*c*) the necessary qualifications prescribed by the authorities for appointment as Official Receiver?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) :

(*a*) Yes, in 1110,

(*b*) *Name.* *Date of application.*

(i) Mr. A. J. Bijili Sahib, B. A., B. L ; District Court Vakil, Nagercoil ... 13-1-1110

(ii) Mr. K. A. Zianuddin Rowther, B. A., B. L., District Court Vakil, Kottayam 11-3-1110

(*c*) No qualifications have been prescribed, but only Vakils of about 10 years' standing are appointed to the post.

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